Soul Imprisonment is far worse than stone confinement. Peruvian belies can testify that the

American navy waltzes killingly well. Young Maxim need not expect a Nobel peace prize for his noiseless

Japan insists that the open door operates in Manchuria, but Japan may know a short cut by a side door.

Fortunately for him, Napoleon did not make his retreat from Moscow through the snow in an automobile.

Some European immigrants, not be ing used to liberty at home, do not know what to do with it when they

We do not see where any one else has a grievance in the matter if the Brooklyn boy himself was willing to stand for his coming-out party.

An Arizona man claims to have sheared 300 sheep in nine hours. There are people in Wall street who will be inclined just now to regard him with envy.

"Can a whale scream?" is the inquiry sent forth by the Brooklyn This is rather hard to answer. but there are certain lobsters which squeal when they are "done."

In the oyster discussion no one has proposed to trim down the oyster navy to fit the oyster revenues. But the wisdom of such a course would have its points with practical business men

Instead of going after the rats with temps and poison, it might be cheaper to turn loose a lot of educated rats and put up signs: "No rats allowed Inside the city." Then the educated ones could tell the others and they would all go.

Mr. E. R. Thomas of New York says that he cannot live comfortably in that city for less than \$50,000 a year, And yet there are some people who pabor under the delusion that they are very comfortable living upon onetenth of that amount.

One student has been in Columbia university 27 years. With such an example of constancy before them the undergraduates of the largest university in America ought to be able. after awhile, to make something bet-Ger than a joke in athletics.

A Virginia man is suing for divorce from his wife upon the grounds that she is not a good cook. There is nothing very romantic about the their faces. One man is in a serious Theory, but it does appear that the condition. Woman who said "feed the brute" had a pretty good recipe for a happy

The unfortunate Pittsburg millionires are again in trouble. A minister in the Smoky City has started a crusade against the style of weddings adopted by the "sudden rich." Between panics and preachers, punsters and the press, there seems to be very little fun in being a Pittsburg million-

The pupils of a western military academy have expelled a member of their class because he was a mollycoddle, and the faculty of the institution has decided to allow the scholars to indulge in this form of selfgovernment. Apparently, the expelled pupil was not the only mollycoddle in that establishment.

An Indiana woman has circovered a strenuous cure for drunkenness. When her husband returned home in an intoxicated condition she sewed him up in a blanket and horsewhipped While the average man may be very sincere in his desire to reform, he cannot be expected to advocate the employment of such a painful

A New York boy who had the "What?" babit was sent home by his employer with a note to his father, asking that he be cured. "Then send him back, for we like him" the note concluded. This boy received more considerate treatment than others with the pernicious habit are likely to get when they go out to work.

The common council of Newark New Jersey, has attacked the bill board nuisance at a vulnerable point by forbidding the display of representations of crime and pictures that border upon indecency. There are commercial posters which could rally defenders on the ground that they are works of art; but theatrical advertising, of the kind that the Newark authorities condemu, seldom rises above the esthetic and moral standards of a color-blind maniac.

Not long ago objection was made to allowing a young woman to be a member of the "varsity" debating team of a coeducational college. It was suggested that the judges must unwittingly be partial to the fair disputant. Since personality is a perfeetly fair asset in debate, judged by theoretic and practical standards. the objection did not have much weight. The lady had the better of the argument on this question, and thereby doubly proved her fitness for the formal trial of reason and per-

The new Japanese regulations conrolling the emigration of laborers to Hawaii remind one of Bir Joseph Porter of "Pinafore," and "his sisters and his cousins, whom he reckons up by us, and his aunts." The laborers who may go to Hawali in the future are those who have already been there, and the parents, wives, children, brothers and their wives, sisters and their husbands, of those who are now living in Hawali. There are now between 70,600 and 80,000 Japanese in Hawaii, and it is estimated under this new ruling 500,000 more might emigrate there.

Iron County Register I. C. TRAIN DITCHED

DIAMOND SPECIAL GOES OVER EMBANKMENT.

SUSPECTED WRECKER'S WORK

Train Bound to St. Louis From Chicago Tumbles Down Forty Feet.

Springfield, Ill.-The Illinois Central's Diamond Special passenger train. which left Chicago at 10 o'clock Friday night for St. Louis, plunged into a ditch 40 feet below. three miles southeast of this city at 4 o'clock Saturday morning.

Engineer Homer Davis of Clinton and his fireman remained at their post and came through the experience without a scratch, although the engine rolled completely over, to the bottom of the ditch. Three cars followed, the baggage, express and buffet.

The first two had a single occupant each, but beyond a few bruises they

were not injured The buffet car was empty. The four rear coaches, carrying the passengers, remained on the track. The occupants were shaken up, but no one cupants were shaken up, but no one was hurt. These were pulled back AVERT into Springfield and sent on to St. Louis over the Chicago & Alton tracks. A crowbar found near the scene of the wreck indicates that the spikes had been pulled for the purpose of wrecking the train.

SLAIN BY NIGHT RIDERS.

Pour Volley of Rifle Bullets Into Man as Wife Watches.

Carlisle, Ky .- A band of night prominent farmer, seven miles northwest of this place.

This is the first murder by the night riders in the Blue Grass region of Kentucky.

Hedges was awakened by shouts shortly before 2 o'clock. Apprehending trouble, he went to his front door with a shotgun and fired once. The night riders replied with a volley, which killed Hedges just as his wife reached his side.

The masked men then rode rapidly away and did not attempt to set fire to Hedges' house or barn. Hedges was an independent farmer, widely known over the country.

Firemen Overcome by Gas.

Waterbury, Conn.-During a fire in the United States hotel early Saturday morning the guests were aroused by two policemen just in time to escape suffocation and the officers were almost overcome. Two firemen were found unconscious in the rear of the building as the result of inhaling gas. Three gas meters exploded in

Tiny Scratch is Fatal.

Cincinnati, Ohio-Maurice White and his wife both grabbed frantically at their infant, who stumbled and was on the verge of falling downstairs on March 7. In grasping for her child Mrs. White accidentally inflicted a small scratch with her finger nall on the side of her husband's nose. Nothing was thought of it until erysipelas developed. It resulted in his death Saturday.

Robbers Beat Woman to Death. Indiana, Pa.-Mrs. Barbara Ortner, an aged woman of White township, near here, died Saturday from the effects of a beating adminis tered by burglars who robbed her home Friday. She was found Friday night unconscious at her home. The Indiana authorities went to White township Saturday to investigate.

Held Rates to Be Excessive.

Washington, D. C.-The interstate commerce commission, in an opinion by Chairman Knapp Friday, held that the rate of \$3.35 per ton on coke from Colorado points to Amarillo. Tex., exacted by the Santa Fe system of the Amarillo Gas Co., was excessive and should not exceed \$2.90

Girls' University Burns.

St. Louis, Mo .- Fire which broke shortly before noon Satur day threatens to destroy Forest Park University, a school for girls, at 600 Clayton road, south side of Forest Park, opposite the entrance to the World's Fair grounds. The fire started in the kitchen near the eastern end of the building, and spread quickly to the main building and Cairns Hall, adjoining.

Girl Charged with Grand Larceny. New York-Ada Honkle, 20 years old, who said that she was a bookkeeper, with a home in Chicago, was arrested last night at the request of the Chicago police. It is understood the woman is wanted on

charges of grand larceny. Cleveland Declines. Atlanta, Ga .- Grover Cleveland, the only living ex-president and a member of the national child labor com mittee, which will meet in Atlanta early in April, has written to Dr. J. A. McKelway, secretary of the com

tend at that time. 500 Poisoned at Church. Upper Sandusky, O .- Five hundred persons were made ill from ptomaine poisoning here at a church social aft er eating chicken and waffles.

mittee, that he will not be able to at-

Trace Woman with Hounds. Chattanooga, Tenn.-Ada Palmer was run down by bloodhounds and arrested, charged with setting fire to the \$6,000 residence of H. L. McFarland, on Mission Ridge. This is the

second charge of arson against her Aged Surgeon in Almshouse. Worcester, Mass,-Dr. John Weller ley Sill, at one time a prominent philauthropist and specialist in cancer has been sent to the state almshouse at Tewksbury at his own request. He ls 83 years old.



COAL STRIKE

MINE WORKERS ADOPT SCALE

COMMITTEE'S REPORT. READY TO SIGN **OPERATORS**

Mitchell Plan Indorsed-Scheme to Force Central District Scale.

Indianapolis, Ind.-With a few changes, the international convention of mine workers Thursday riders early Saturday morning adopted its scale committee's report, shot and killed Harlan Hedges, a Briefly stated, the policy is that the separate districts may adopt wage contracts with their operators; that such contracts shall be for one year, and that the scale shall provide for "not

less than the present wage rates." Section 1, providing that the Southwestern district miners may meet their operators at once and settle upon a scale, was adopted. This settles all questions of strike in the Southwest as the operators there are ready to Judge Wood Imposes Death Penalty,

sign a scale. The report favors settlement with the operators by districts which will mean that the Indiana operators will sign at once, and, of course, other states are also expected to sign. The miners demand the continuance of the present wage scale.

Morse Demurrer Filed.

New York-Counsel for Charles W. Morse filed in the United States district court Wednesday a demurrer to the petition asking that Mr. Morse be adjudged a bankrupt, which was filed against him by Receiver Hanna of the National Bank of North America, Frederick Pringle and Edward D. Shotwell. At the same time an answer to the petition in bank ruptcy was filed. The answer deries that Mr. Morse is insolvent and asks that the question of insolvency be left to the determination of a jury.

Jumped Through Window of Train. Adrian, Mich.-John Santica, whose home is in Stone City, Iowa jumped through the window of a Wabash passenger coach early yez terday while the train was nea Creek. Section men found him in the afternoon nearly dead from his in juries. He had been wandering about in the woods. The man, who was traveling from Fall River, Mass., to Stone City, said that he jumped from the train to escape enemies who were pursuing him. He was taken to the Wabash hospital at Peru, Ind.

Invites 300 to His Death. Guadalajara, Mexico-More than 300 persons saw a man aflow-himself to be gored to death by a bull. Not one of the 300 tried to prevent the novel, but terrible, death that the man had chosen. For Jose Maria Moreno, owner of the San Pe dro ranch in Conposital, had gather ed the people of the neighborhood to gether by invitation to witness his death. When the crowd arrived, Moreno made a short speech and then walked into the cattle pen to meet the bull and the end.

Insane Soldiers Transferred.

Leavenworth, Kas.-Three insan soldier convicts, Lieutenant Allen Lefort and two negroe troopers left under guard last night for the army asylum at Washington. They have been confined in the federal penitentiary. While Lefort was with the coast artillery in Cuba he was convicted of forging the names of brother officers for small amounts and sentenced to serve five years.

Pope Would Renew Relations. La Paz, Bolivia-A delegate from the holy see has arrived here with the object of renewing diplomatic relations between the Bolivian government and the Vatican.

Cut in Marriage Licenses. Winsted, Conn.-E. D. Norton, town clerk of North Canaan, is doing his best to make some activity in the matrimonial line by offering mrriage licenses to women free, at half price to single men and at a great reduction in clubs of five.

Find Body of Woman Suicide. Lock Haven, Pa .- After floating 40 miles down the Susquehanna river, the body of Mrs. George Swope, who drowned herself here last December has been recovered.

Coffin Prize in Foot Race.

Winsted, Conn.-To decide the own ership of a coffin Charles Hyde and Charles Millard will race seven miles across country on May 2. The men have arranged for the contest and agreed that the loser shall buy the winner's coffin.

Boy of 10 Kills Mad Dog. St. Louis-Earl Rice, ten years old killed a mad dog in a single handed fight at his home in Alton. The boy was painfully bitten and bruised in FAREWELL TO MITCHELL.

Miners' Retiring President Overwhelmed at Close of Convention.

Indianapolis, Ind.—The United Mine Workers' extraordinary naconvention was adjourned tional Friday by President Mitchell, it being his last act as the presiding officer. The Scale Committee report has seen adopted in full.

The convention arose and sang "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," when Mitchell, gavel in hand, made an appeal for united action and support of all fac tions, and again asked for the incoming administration perfect accord of all interests. Adjournment was fellowed by a reception to the retiring president in which all the delegates grasped his hand. Mitchell was overcome by emotion and tears streamed down his cheeks.

ASKS MERCY FOR ORCHARD.

but Urges Commutation.

Boise, Idaho-Judge Wood, in the district court at Caldwell, Wednesday sentenced Harry Orchard to death for the murder of ex-Gov. Steunenberg and recommended that the board of pardons commute his sentence to imprisonment in the peniten tiary. In a written ruling, Judge Wood gives as a reason for his recommendation that Orchard told the truth in his testimony in the Haywood and Pettibone trials.

Drunken Man Kills Policeman.

Chicago, Ill.-Edward C. Heffer man, a special police officer, was shot and killed last night and J. L. Morelan, a bystander, was seriously wounded by Donald Starr, whom the officer had ejected from the elevated station at Jackson Park avenue, the terminus of the South Side elevated road. Starr, who was intoxicated, then shot himself, inflicting a wound which will probably prove fatal

Seventh "Sunday Closing" Case Ends.

Chicago, Ill.—The seventh "Sunlight, when Barney Coffey, a saloonkeeper at 6258 Halsted street, was acquitted by a jury on a charge of having violated the state law by keeping his place of business open on Sunday. No evidence was offered by the defense. This was Coffey's second trial, a previous jury having disa-

Says Orange Drugged Him. Pittsburg-Arthur F. Bennett is be ing sought by the police on the charge of embezziement. H. J. H. Nulty, a wealthy broker, has told the detectives that Bennett handed him a "fixed" orange and that while under the influence of the drugged fruit he signed away \$50,000 to Bennett.

Killed While Boarding Train, Council Bluffs, Ia.-Lee Conklin, 24 years old, son of G. B. Conklin of Sioux City, was almost instantly killed while attempting to board a Burilng ton train near the city ticket office falling under the wheels.

Russian Prisone Crowded.

St. Petersburg-M. Chtcheglovitoff the minister of justice, has asked the duma for \$1,000,000 to enlarge Russian prisons. The number of prisoners has increased 111 per cent since 1906.

Boys Confess to Thefts. Chester, Pa.-Thomas Maloney and Matthew Black, 16-year-old boys, who confessed to having broken into a store in the central portion of the city

recently, were held for court.

Must Pay Debts to City. Macon, Ga.-City Treasurer Tinsley has been notified to pay no money to people who owe the city Blind Girl Recovers Sight. Port Huron, Mich,-As a reward for

supreme courage and determination Miss Alice Hollis of Port Huron, who went to Germany alone to find some relief for her total blindness, has successfully undergone an operation on her left eye, which she is now able to use. Riches In His Garments,

Easton, Pa.-Wilhelm Smith, a laborer, died suddenly at Belfast, near An examination of his clothing disclosed \$2,400 in bills

Gamblers Quit Macon. Macon, Ga.-The alleged gamblers in Macon who have been loafing about the city either moved away or found work. Chief of Police Sam Westcott issued orders'telling all the gambiers to either leave Macon or go to work. sailed for Europe on the steamer Lusi-

300,000 Reindeer Starve. London-In the famine that is ray aging the Tcherktchy and Yakutsh tribes in Northern Siberia hundredu have died, and the distress has been intensified by a recent epidemic, which cause 300,000 reindeer to perish.

NEWS OF CONGRESS

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DOINGS OF PEOPLE'S REPRESEN TATIVES AT WASHINGTON.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED

Concise Report of Measures Intro duced and What Action is Taken on Them.

Senate Passes Mail Subsidy. Washington-The senate, without

sidy bill Bill for Tariff Commission. Washington-Senator La Follette Friday introduced a bill providing for the appointment of a tariff commis-

sion. In offering it, he said there was

some question as to whether it could

properly be presented as a senate bill,

but because it incorporated his views

he proposed to address the senate up-

on it in the near future. Meanwhile

division, passed the ocean mail sub-

he wanted it to lie on the table.

Machinists in the Navy. Washington-The house committee on naval affairs Friday decided to report favorably the bills introduced by Mr. Butler of Pennsylvania, establishing the rank of machinists in the navy as warrant officers and increasing the pay of mates to \$1,200 at sea. \$1,080 on shore and \$460 on leave or waiting orders.

Tuberculosis Bill Favored. Washington-The house committee on the District of Columbia reported favorably a bill to provide for registration of all cases of tuberculosis in the district for free examination of sputum in suspected cases, and for other measures to prevent the spread of the disease in the district,

More Pay for Life Savers. Washington-A house bill increasing the pay of persons engaged in the lifesavings service of the United States was passed by the senate Friday, with an amendment giving to a dependent mother the same pension allowances as the bill gives to a widow.

Official Bill by Warner. Washington-The administration bill for the re-enlistment of the negro soldiers of the Twenty-fifth infantry, who were discharged without honor as a result of the Brownsville affray. was introduced in the senate by Senator Warner of Missouri, after a meeting of the committee on military affairs.

House Passes Pension Bill.

Washington-After several hours of spirited discussion over the proposition to abolish 17 of the 18 United States pension agencies and consolidate pension disbursements in Washington, the house Thursday passed the pension appropriation bill, carrying \$150,869,000, the largest sum ever authorized by that measure. The house by a vote of 86 to 139 stood by the committee on appropriations and left unchanged its recommendation for one general agency.

La Follette Concludes Speech. Washington-Continuing his speech begun in the senate last Tuesday, Senator La Follette of Wisconsin Thursday closing" case ended Thursday day devoted considerable time to discussing a proposition for the physical valuation of railroads. The blind senator from Oklahoma, Mr. Gore, attempted to draw Mr. La Follette into a criticism of the actions of the president and Secretary Cortelyou, in connection with the recent financial disturbance, but failed, the Wisconsin senator expressing the opinion that the president had acted in a way which he believed at the time to be in the best interest of the country. The senate devoted a part of the day to the consideration of the omnibus claims bill, and then referred it back to the committee for further consideration

> Both Houses Adjourn. Washington-General debate on the pension appropriation bill continued for four hours in the house of representatives Wednesday. The subjects discussed took a wide range, politics. finance, the trusts and the president's last special message all receiving attention. At 4:24 p. m. the house adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late United States Senator Wil liam Pinckney Whyte of Maryland. The senate was in session but ten minutes, adjourning in respect to Mr.

> Whyte. Law Would Restore Fees. Washington-The senate committee on public lands Wednesday ordered a favorable report on a bill to restore to the register of the land office the fees collected for cancellation of land entries. Since 1892 a fee of \$1 has been collected on such cancellations. and the fee under the law was retained by the registers. Regulations later were put into force by which the

fees into the treasury. Police Rout Worshipers. Johnstown, Pa.-Refusing to dis perse when requested to do so by the police because of a diphtheria epidemic, the members of the Polish Catholic church of Conemaugh were driven from their house of worship and the place locked up.

registers were compelled to turn the

Strange Work of the Stork. Northampton, Mass,-Twin boys were born at the same hour to Mr. and Mrs. Sumuer L. Munson and Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Davies, who live in adjoining houses.

Hummel Sails for Europe. New York-Abraham H. Hummet, the lawyer who was released from the penitentiary after serving ten months for conspiracy in connection with the Dodge- Morse divorce case

Madrid-Prince Kiniyoshi Kuni, a cousin of the emperor of Japan, has presented to Queen Victoria the insignia of the Order of the Crown on behalf of the empress of Japan.

NEWS OF MISSOURI

\$1,000 for Husband's Death. Kingston-Mrs. Elsie Filley got judgment for \$1,000 in the circuit court against Albert Filley for the killing of her husband, Clay Filley, Dec. 21 last. Albert Filley has been in juil since that date, charged with slaying his wife and 7-year-old child and his brother, Clay Filley, the killings all occurring the same night. His trial on the charge of murder has been continued until the June term. Mrs. Elsie Filley was not able to be in court, and during the reading of her deposition Filley was greatly af-

Seven Women Injured in Wreck. Independence-Eight persons were injured here when a Missouri Pacific passenger train from Joplin collided with a freight standing near the station. Those hurt received cuts and bruises, but were able to continue their journey. The injured: Nelson Thompson, engineer; Elizabeth Paint er, school teacher, East Lynn; Rachael Park, Butler; Anne Spicer, Nassau; Frankie Cummings, Altoona; Linnie Holwell, Altoona; Mrs. Lizzie Frederickson, Harrisonville; Mattie Frederickson, Harrisonville,

Venu Change in Baker Caso. Aurora-A change of venue was taken to Judge Woodward of Carthage in the case of Mrs. Albert Baker, her brother, T. E. Rainey, and Mrs. Rainey, mother of both Rainey and Mrs. Baker, who are charged with an assault on Albert Baker. Albert Baker was assaulted at his home in Chitwood by a masked man and two women. The man shot Baker, who succeeded in tearing the mask from his assallant's face and identifying him. Baker's life was insured for \$10,000

Block Burns in Galt.

Chillicothe-Fire destroyed a block of business houses in Galt. Mo., twenty-three miles north of Chillicothe, causing a loss estimated at \$20,000. The heaviest losers are Robert Todd, Joe Shankey, John Coskey and Thos. Fleshman, all merchants. The fire started in Todd's store from an overheated stove. Galt is without fire protection and for a time the entire town was threatened.

Defends Anti-Saloon League.

Montgomery-Before a large audience at the courthouse, State Field Secretary D. B. Johnson of the Missouri Anti-saloon League defended the state organization and State Superintendent U. G. Robinson and made a strong plea for funds to assist in the crusade in Missouri. He stoutly denied the charge that the league was playing favorites in the crusade.

Missouri Banker Drops Dead. Linneus-Joseph Coms, one of the most widely known men in Northern Missouri, fell dead on the street here. For many years he was president of the Combs & Wilkerson bank here and an extensive Shorthorn cattle raiser. He was 73 years old.

Ten-Year-Old Hunter Killed.

Springfield-While hunting near Gates Station, on the James River, James Bennett, 10 years old, was killed by the accidental discharge of his shotgun. Both barrels of the weapon were discharged.

Banker Lane's Trial Starts. Aurora-George W. Lane, former president of the Julian Savings bank was placed on trial in the circuit court of Lawrence county, charged with ac cepting deposits when the bank was insolvent. A change of venue was taken from Jasper county.

Jones and Gallagher Reappointed. Jefferson City-Governor Folk has reappointed Elliott H. Jones and Andrew E. Gallagher members of the board of police commissioners of Kan sas City. Their terms of office expire! last month. Each will be commissioned for a full term of three years

"Jack the Hugger" Arrested, Brookfield-Several young women were attacked on the street by "Jack the Hugger," and a switchman was arrested and identified by one of the women. While the switchman was in jail his wife gave birth to a

Preacher Delegate Chosen. Springfield-Rev. L. G. Reser, president of the Marionville Collegiate In stitute at Marlonville, Mo., was elect ed the fourth delegate to the general conference by the St. Louis annual conference, in session here.

Folk Names Coal Oil Inspector. Jefferson City-Governor Folk ap pointed William C. Grubbs coal of, inspector at Canton, vice, the late James L. Grubbs.

Captain Alldredge Dies. California-Captain William C. All. dredge, 71 years old, died in Benton county. He was buried here. Senator John M. Williams of this city delivered the eulogy at the grave. Capt. Alldredge served as an officer for four years in the Confederate Army and for more than thirty years was prominent in public affairs in Western Missouri. He twice represented Moniteau county in the legislature, and several years ago was the popu list nominee for congress and later the populist nominee for governor.

\$20,000 Fire at New London. New London-Fire broke out in the

opera house and before put out the buildings occupied by the Ralls County Bank, John Helm's drug store, Epperson's poolroom and a restaurant, were ablaze. The postoffice, together with the law offices of R. F. Roy and Ben E. Hulse, were totally destroyed loss about \$20,000, partfally covered by insurance. The buildings are complete wreck, but will be rebuilt at once. The law libraries were tho only property saved.

WESTERN GANADA GROPS CANNOT BE CHECKED

OATS YIELDED 90 BUSHELS TO THE ACRE.

The following letter written the Dominion Government Commissioner o Emigration speaks for itself. It proves the story of the Agents of the Gov ernment that on the free homesteads offered by the Government it is pos sible to become comfortably well of in a few years:

Regina, Sask., 23rd Nov., 1907. Commissioner of Immigration,

Winnipeg.

it is with pleasure that I reply to your request. Some years ago I tool up a homestead for myself and also one for my son. The half section which we own is situated between Roulean and Drinkwater, adjoining the Moose Jaw creek, is a low leve and heavy land. We put in 70 acres o wheat in stubble, which went 20 bush els to the acre, and 30 acres of sum mer fallow, which went 25 bushels to the acre. All the wheat we harvestee this year is No. 1 hard. That means the best wheat that can be raised or theearth. We did not sell any wheat ye as we intend to keep one part for our own seed, and sell the other para to people who want first-class seed. for there is no doubt if you sow good wheat you will harvest good wheat We also threshed 9,000 bushels of first-class oats out of 160 acres. acres has been fall plowing which yielded 90 bushels per acre, and 80 acres stubble, which went 20 bushels the acre. These oats are the best kind that can be raised. We have shipped three car loads of them, and got 53 cents per bushel clear. All our grain was cut in the last week of the month of August before any frost could touch

Notwithstanding the fact that we have had a late spring, and that the weather conditions this year were very adverse and unfavorable, we will make more money out of our crop-

this year than last. For myself I feel compelled to say that Western Canada crops cannot bechecked, even by unusual conditions. I am, dear sir,

Yours truly, (Signed) A. Kaltenbrunner,

One Woman's Wrongs. Mrs. Smallpurse (who found only a few dimes in her husband's pockets that morning)-I am just sick of this plodding along year after year. Whydon't you do something to make money?

Mr. Smallpurse-I can't make any more than a living at my business, no matter how hard I work. Mrs. Smallpurse-Then do something else. Invent something. Any

American can invent.

Mr. Smallpurse (some months after) -My dear, I've hit it, and I've got a patent. My fortune is made. Mrs. Smallpurse (delighted)-Isn't that grand! What did you invent? Mr. Smallpurse-I have invented a

barbed-wire safety pocket for hugbands.-New York Weekly.

Transmitted Snake Bite. An extraordinary case of snake pofsoning is reported from a country hospital in Victoria, N. S. W. An old man was brought in in a comatose state and showing all the symptoms of having been bitten by a venomous snake, But on investigation it was found he had been bitten by a dog, which died almost immediately afterward from snake bits. Medical treatment was successful, and the man gradually recovered from the snake poison which

the reptile had indirectly transmitted

to him.

Beyond Him. On the occasion of the production of "Lucia" at the Metropolitan opera house last winter a well-known clubman, who had taken a cousin from a Connecticut town to hear Donizatti's. great work, turned to his relative during the first intermission and asked; how he liked the opera.

Latin?"-Harper's. A Diplomat. "So you gave your husband a box of cigars?"

"Oh, pretty fair," said the visitor;

"but is the whole blamed thing in

"Yes," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "Did he appreciate them?" "Indeed he did. He values them so highly that he is smoking a pipe so as

not to use them up too fast." Tennyson's Yearly Income. Tennyson received for his poetry be-

tween \$25,000 and \$35,000 a year. HAPPY OLD AGE

Most Likely to Follow Proper Esting.

As old age advances, we require less food to replace waste, and food that will not overtax the digestive organs, while supplying true nourishment. Such an ideal food is found in Grape-Nuts, made of whole wheat and barley by long baking and action of dinstant in the barley which changes the starch into sugar.

The phosphates also, placed up under the bran-coat of the wheat, are included in Grape-Nuts, but left out of white flour. They are necessary to the building of brain and nerve cells. "I have used Grape Nuts," writes an Iowa man, "for 8 years and feel as good and am stronger than I was ten years

ago. I am over 74 years old, and attend to my business every day. "Among my customers I meet a man every day who is 92 years old and attributes his good health to the use of Grape-Note and Postom which he has used for the last 5 years. He moves Grape-Nuts with Postons and mays they

go fine together, "For many years before I began to eat Grape-Note, I could not say that I enjoyed life or knew what it was to be able to say I was well. I suffered greatly with constipution, now my has

Its are as regalar as ever in my life.
"Whenever I make extra effort I depend on Grape-Note food and it has fills the bill. I can think and write a great deal earlier." "There's a Remon" Name given by

Postum Co., Hattle Creek, Mics. Re-"The Road to Well-ville," in skeet.